



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

MATSUDA, et al.

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For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS HAVING
WRITING SPACE MODE

Confirmation No. 3901

Art Unit: 2625

Examiner: Qin, Yixing

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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This supplements Applicants' Response filed on June 27, 2008 and is in response to the Advisory Action mailed July 28, 2008 and the Office Action mailed March 28, 2008, to which the time for response was set to expire June 28, 2008. A Petition for Extension of Time for two months and the requisite fee are submitted herewith to extend the date for response up to and including August 28, 2008. The pending claims, claims 1-3, were rejected. Reconsideration in view of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

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